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Application Serial Number	09/650,481
Confirmation Number	8554
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Title of Application	System and Method for Identifying Audio/Visual Programs to be Recorded
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Group Art Unit	2614
Examiner	Annan Q. Shang
Attorney Docket Number	MS1-4828US

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 18, 2010**

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### CONCLUSION

The claims are in condition for allowance. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and prompt allowance of the subject application. If any issue remains unresolved that would prevent allowance of this case, the Office is requested to contact the undersigned attorney to resolve the issue.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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